

I implore you not to change the broadcasting rules so as to give local stations priority over national radio stations. Please remember that not all formats are available in every area and you may deprive residents of their choice of subject matter if you make it impossible for them to hear stations beyond their local area. For instance, I listen to K-Love radio on 90.7 FM every day. This is the ONLY radio station in my area with this format. Although there are other Christian radio stations in my immediate area none of them are contemporary music stations or stations with the same broad range and depth of outreach. When climatic conditions mess around with K-Love's transmitter I can hear a local radio station with a band close to K-Love's and I wouldn't tune in to that station if K-Love were not available. It is too much like the other stations in the area.

Please do not take away our choices - remember that the First Amendment applies to individual citizens and not just commercial enterprises with strong lobbies!

Thank you for your consideration.

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